Deparmental Examination for the employee's of the Excise Department.

5. **Mr. M. N. Paramesvaran Pillai**: Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether any Deparmental Examination has been prescribed for the employees in the Excise Department;

(*b*) whether there is any rule that all officers of the Department, below the rank of second grade Assistant Excise Commissioners, both permanent and acting, should pass the examination within two years from the date of starting the examination before promotion for confirmation;

(*c*) whether this rule has been strictly followed since the date of starting the examination;

(*d*) whether any appointment, promotion or confirmation has been made during the last 6 years in violation of the rule, and, if so, what are the special reasons for doing so:

(*e*) who were the examiners for the last three years;

(*f*) whether they have passed the said examination; and

(*g*) whether they are also officers who are bound to pass the examination under the rules?

Mr. C. O. Madhavan: (*a*) A Departmental Examination known as the 'Excise Test' has been prescribed for the employees in the department above the rank of Petty Officers. Another Examination has also been prescribed for petty Officers and peons.

(*b*) Yes.

(*c*) The rule has not been strictly followed.

(*d*) The rule regarding the Departmental Examination has been relaxed in case of certain promotions and confirmations, in consideration of long service, general educational qualifications and efficiency.

(*e*), (*f*) and (*g*) A *A statement furnishing the required information is laid on the table.

List by caste, of appointments made in the Excise Dedartment.

6. **Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai**: (*Chirayinkil* cum *Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to place on the table a caste-war list of the fresh appointments of all grades made in the Excise Department from 5-7-1107, together with the qualifications of the persons so appointed?

Mr. C. O. Madhavan; A † statement is laid on the table

*Vide Appendix VI—page 673.

†*Vide* Appendix VII—pages 674 to 676.

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Appendix VII.

Vide **Answer to Unstarred Question No. 6.**

Caste-war list of fresh appointments of all grades made in the Excise Department from 5-7-1107 to 10-4-1112 and the qualifications of the persons so appointed.

Caste.	Appointments.	Qualifications of the persons appointed.
1. *Hindus*		
(1) Brahmin	Ag Clerks—5	Graduates—3 S. S. L. C—2
	Ag. Typists—2	Both S. S. L. C. and Typewriting Examination.
	Ag. Petty Officers—6	Graduates 2, Intermediate 1, S. S. L. C. 3.
	Ag. and Temporary Peons—10 Total—23	
(2) Nayars.	Ag. Clerks—14	Graduate 6, Intermediate 2, and S. S. L. C. 6
	Ag. Typists—8	S. S. L. C. and Type-writing Examination 2, Type-writing Examination alone—1
	Ag. Excise Inspector—1	Graduate
	Ag. Sub-Inspectors—2	Both Intermediate
	Ag. Store-keeper—1	S. S. L. C.
	Ag. Petty Officers—12	Graduates 2, Intermediate 5; S. S. L. C. 5.
	Ag. Mochee—4	
	Ag. and Temporary Peons—162 Total—199	
(3) Other caste Hindus.	Ag. Petty Officers—4	Graduates—2, S. S. L. C. 2
	Ag. and Temporary Peons—18 Total—22	
(4) Kammalas.	Ag. Clerk—1	Graduate
	Ag. Petty Officer—1	S. S. L. C.
	Ag. Peons—6 Total—8	
(5) Nadars	Ag. Petty Officer—1	S. S. L. C.
	Ag. and Temporary Peons—10 Total—11	
(6) Ezhavas	Ag. Sub-Inspectors 2	Graduate 1, S. S. L. C. and Pleadership—1

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Appendix VII—(*contd.*)

Caste.	Appointments.	Qualifications of the persons appointed.
6—(*contd.*)	Ag. Clerks 13	Graduates 4 Intermediate 3 S. S. L. C. 6
	Ag. Petty Officers 5	Graduates 3, Intermediate—2
	Ag. Mochee 2	
	Ag. and Temporary Peons 65	
	Total—87	
7. Pulayas.	Ag. Petty Officer 1	S. S. L. C.
	Ag. and Temporary Peons 9	
	Total--10	
8. Other Hindus.	Ag. Clerks 5	All Graduates.
	Ag. Petty Officers 3	Intermediate 2, S. S. L. C. 1.
	Ag. and Temporary Peons 42	
	Total—50	
II. *Muslims.*	Ag. Clerks 3	Graduates 1; S. S. L. C. 1 one has been exempted by Government.
	Ag. Sub-Inspector 1	Graduate.
	Temporary Petty Officer 1	S. S. L. C.
	Ag. Petty Officer 1	Cambridge Senior.
	Ag. and Temporary Peons 30	
	Total—36	
III *Christians* (1) Jacobite,	Ag. Clerk 1	S. S. L C.
	Ag. Sub-Inspector 1	Graduate.
	Ag. Petty Officers 3	Graduate 1. Intermediate 1, S. S. L. C. 1.
	Ag. Mochee 1	
	Ag. and Temporary Peons 18	
	Total 24	
(2) Marthomite.	Ag. Clerk 1	S. S. L. C.
	Ag. Petty Officer 1	S. S. L. C.
	Ag. Peons 7	
	Total—9	
	Ag Sub-Inspectors 2	Both Graduates.
	Ag. Typist 1	Type-writing Examination.

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Appendix VII—(*contd.*)

Caste.	Appointments.	Qualifications of the persons appointed.
2—(*contd.*)	Ag. and Temporary Peons 10 Total—13	
(3) Syrian Catholic.	Ag. Sub-Inspector 1	Graduate.
	Ag. Clerks 2	Graduate 1, S. S. L. C 1.
	Ag. Typist 1	S. S. L. C. and Type-writing Examination.
	Ag. Petty Officers 2	Graduate 1, S. S. L. C. 1.
	Ag. Peons 10 Total—16	
(4) South India United Church.	Ag. Clerks 3	All Graduates.
	Ag. Peons 6 Total—9	
(5) Other Christians.	Ag. Clerk 1	Graduate.
	Ag. Petty Officers 3	Graduate 1, Intermediate 1, S. S. L. C. 1.
	Ag. and Temporary Peons 35 Total 39	

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